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## SCARCITY OF NEWS.

Rumors of a Japanese Repulse Comes From St. Petersburg.

A Transport With Six Hundred Troops Alleged to Have Been Sunk.

Washington, April 28.—An engagement of twenty minutes is reported to have been fought between Japanese and Russian detachments on the Manchurian side of the Yalu river. The Japanese are said to have been repulsed. The St. Petersburg correspondent of a Paris paper says a Japanese transport with 600 troops has been sunk by a Russian submarine boat. It is believed at St. Petersburg that the Japanese sustained severe losses in crossing the Yalu, but the official reports are withheld and the press dispatches are meager.

### THIRTY MORE.

Ham Converts Indentify Themselves With Churches.

About 30 more converts of the Ham revival have united with the city churches, running the total up to 113. Only three of the churches opened their doors Wednesday night. The additions were to the Baptist, Christian and first Presbyterian churches. The total now stands as follows:

Methodist.....	34
Christian.....	27
Baptist.....	22
Ninth Street Presbyterian.....	11
Cumberland Presbyterian.....	10
First Presbyterian.....	9
Total.....	113

At least 30 or 40 more are expected to join Sunday. The Ninth Street Presbyterian church will begin a protracted meeting Sunday. Rev. Mr. Spencer doing the preaching. At the Baptist church Wednesday night 16 of the new members were baptized. Two others will be baptized soon. The other four joined by letter.

### BOY ORATORS

Who Are Making the Welkin Ring at Marion.

Two juvenile orators, sons of orators, will compete for prizes at Marion this week in the school contests. James Breathitt, Jr., son of Judge James Breathitt, will deliver an oration on "McKinley and His Times." Caldwell Feland, son of Attorney John Feland, will speak on "Marion, The Home of Olie James, Tom Nunn and W. J. Deboe." Both orators are boys of about 12 or 14 years of age, and possess speaking talent of a high order. They are expected to come home easy winners. They compete in different classes.

### CONGESTIVE CHILL

Causes Death of Estimable Woman Near Bennettstown.

Mrs. Hattie Edwards, wife of Mr. Charles D. Edwards, of near Bennettstown, died suddenly Saturday of congestive chill. Mrs. Edwards had been suffering from ordinary chills for some time and when attacked with congestion lived only a few hours.

Mrs. Edwards was about twenty-eight years old and was formerly a Miss Mason. She was a sister of Mrs. E. A. Roper, of this city. A husband and three children survive.

**Unknown Persons Drowned.**  
Marion, Ky., April 26.—The bodies of two unknown young men were found in Wilson creek today. They were drowned Monday while attempting to ford the creek.

### Died on Train.

Mrs. F. P. Morton, of Grand Rapids, Mich., died on a Southern train near Burd on Tuesday, while en route home from a Southern winter resort.

## HEATED REPLY.

Cockran Denies That He Favored McKinley For Hire.

North Carolina Member Declared the President Offered Base Insults to Dixie.

Washington, April 23.—Mr. Hepburn, of Iowa and Mr. Cockran, of New York, held sway in the house today. Incidentally the bill for a commission to investigate the question of a ship subsidy was passed. Mr. Hepburn spoke for an hour and a half and Cockran for two hours. Each speaker took "the other side of the chamber" for his legitimate prey, and the points made as the general political field was reviewed, were backed up by demonstrations extending to the crowded galleries. During the course of a short speech Mr. Dalzell had charged that Cockran was working for hire for the election of McKinley in 1896. In the most vigorous language and dramatic manner Mr. Cockran resented this insinuation amid wild applause on the Democratic side. He denounced the charge and the gentleman who made it. "Name him, or admit that you are—" Cockran said and paused, adding, "what cannot be said in this house."

Dalzell said his informant was a Democrat, but he would not give his name. The demonstration on the Democratic side at this point became so great that Cockran could not resume his speech for some time. When he could continue, he said he had never made a Republican speech in his life, and that he supported McKinley when the people forced a financial plank in the platform which met with his (Cockran's) approval.

Mr. Hepburn's speech was made for the purpose of defending the president and the Republican platform which met with his (Cockran's) approval.

Mr. Kitchen had declared that the president insulted the people of the South by saying in one of his publications that throughout Southern character there ran a streak of brutal barbarism. He charged the president with being the advocate of lynch law and quoted from one of the president's books to sustain his assertion. In his opinion the president, who he said, while governor of New York, has styled the members of congress as a herd of cattle, was unfit to hold office and a dangerous man. The people of the South, he said, knew that twenty-five years after Appomattox, Roosevelt, in one of his publications, had declared that until the word "treason" was stricken out of the dictionary, Jefferson Davis would be an arch traitor. That, he said, was a strike at the whole South and the Confederate soldiers.

### COMMONWEALTH CASE

Called In County Court And Continued.

The case of the Commonwealth against Luther Thomas, charged with maliciously striking Lee Newsum, was called in County Court Wednesday morning and continued until Monday, May 16. The parties live near Cobb, but just over the line in Christian county. The difficulty occurred about a month ago. Mr. Thomas has retained the Hon. Ward Headley, of Princeton, to defend him.

### TRIGG FARMER DEAD.

Taking Off Was Due To Rheumatism of Heart.

Mr. Tal Wilson, a well known farmer, who lived near Caldonia, died last Saturday night, aged about 45 years. He had been suffering from a complication of diseases for some time, but the immediate cause of death was rheumatism of the heart. He was a brother of Mrs. W. R. Smithson, of near Julia, and was a member of the Methodist church. He left a widow and one son. Interment in the family burying ground.

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### READY FOR CONTRACTS.

Additions To Asylum Will Soon Be Under Construction.

The plans and specifications which will govern the erection of the new wings to be constructed on the Western Kentucky Insane Asylum have been completed by Architects McDonald and Shebley, of Louisville, and the contract for construction work will be awarded on June 1.

At the recent session of the Legislature \$75,000 was allowed for the erection of two wings to the main building, which were necessary on account of the crowded condition of all the asylums of the State.

According to an advertisement in another column of the Kentuckian, proposals for foundation work will be received by Dr. Milton Board, chairman of the building committee, up to noon May 7th.

### UNIFORM RANK

K. of P. Organized and Officers Chosen Wednesday Night.

A company of Uniform Rank Knights of Pythias has been organized here with a membership of twenty-five to start with. It is expected that this number will shortly be increased to forty or fifty. At a meeting held Wednesday night the following officers were elected: C. O. Prowse, captain; E. W. Clark, 1st lieutenant; E. B. Courtney, 2nd lieutenant; C. M. Hill, recorder; L. E. Fowler, treasurer; Geo. Connel, guard, and T. E. Overshiner, sentinel. Measures for the uniforms have been taken and as soon as the suits arrive regular drills will begin.

The local K. of P. lodge is in a flourishing condition, there being about 150 members.

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2nd dam, Tena and she by Mambino Messenger.

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An extended pedigree will be furnished on application.

Black Wilkes is a handsome black horse 7 years old, 2 white feet, stands 16 hands high with fine style and finish. Shows great speed though untrained. He will make the season of 1904 at my farm near Howell, Ky., at \$15 to insure living colt.

Also my Black Hawk Jack, Warren, black with white feet, 7 years old, 15 hands high, at \$10 to insure a living colt. Money due when colt stands up, or mare is transferred. Good care taken to prevent accidents, but not responsible should any occur.

C. R. ADAMS.

## WORLD'S FAIR

### Excursion Rates Via Illinois Central Railroad.

Account of World's Fair—Louisiana Purchase Exposition the Illinois Central will send round trip tickets to St. Louis as follows:

From April 25th to November 15th, limited to December 15th, \$12.25.

From April 25th to November 30th, limited to six days from date of sale, but not later than December 15th, \$10.20.

From April 25th to November 30th, limited to ten days from date of sale, \$9.65.

All tickets will be limited to continuous passage in both directions.

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### GOLD DOLLAR.

Finest Example of Modern Coinage Art.

The Louisiana Purchase Gold Dollars, mounted as stick-pins and charms, are on exhibition at the First National Bank, and are for sale at the original cost, \$3 each. The bank is to be commended for its enterprise in arranging to supply these souvenirs to the public.

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## NO SOUTH AFRICAN BOOM.

Events Are Largely Justifying Predictions of Pessimists—Facts as to Conditions.

The vehement assertion that the cessation of hostilities in South Africa would be followed by an industrial boom, a rapid settlement of agricultural areas and the establishment of general prosperity throughout the region have all failed of fulfillment, thus far, says the New York Sun. A published dispatch from Lord Milner presents only the gloomiest of pictures, not only of the present, but also of the future. Here and there some sane mind has refused to join in the optimistic predictions, accepting with such grace as it could the maledictions which always fall upon the heads of those who refuse to add their voices to a popular hullabaloo. Events have largely justified the pessimists.

Briefly, the fact is that there is not and never has been even a fair ground for the excessive expectations of the South African boomers. A measure of restoration of destroyed property, of replacement, and even of new enterprise, was inevitable, and sufficient financial resources were available for these purposes. Much was required, and in the supply of those requirements the United States has participated with no small advantage to itself.

But certain physical facts must be taken into any adequate consideration of South African affairs. Without its gold mines and its diamond mines the country would still be very much like it was before the discovery of those properties: a vast area of little attraction to settlers; potentially productive under costly systems of irrigation, but lying so far from centers of consumption that the placing of products in market centers left their producers at a great disadvantage in their competition with other countries. The opening of the mining districts created local markets for a comparatively little quantity of the products of field and farm. These conditions were not much changed by the war, and are not likely to be materially altered in the immediate future.

The improvement in mining conditions and the increase in mining products through the proposed importation of contract Asiatic labor will give a stimulus to industry in the Transvaal. But the advance of South Africa beyond the condition of a vast area of little attraction to settlers, and the comparative little quantity of the products of field and farm, must be made by slow, though perhaps by steady, movement.

South Africa, like every other region, falls under the economic laws of comparative production and distribution, and until more naturally fruitful areas more conveniently situated with reference to centers of consumption are more fully occupied England's new possession will be heavily hand capped.

### Wellington's Wife.

This story is told by an Englishman who lived a century ago: He was dining out in London and sat by a lady whom he did not know. Their conversation turned upon early resolutions and how very seldom they were kept, and the lady said: "Well, when I was a girl I made three resolutions. First, I determined that I should never marry a soldier; secondly, that I would never marry an Irishman; and, thirdly, that I would not be long engaged. And all those three resolutions I broke. Whom do you think I did marry? The duke of Wellington! He was a soldier and an Irishman and was engaged to him for 12 years. This was Lady Katherine Pakenham. It was an unhappy marriage and the couple mostly lived apart.

### Removing a Church.

A singular piece of work has been carried out in Russia. At a village near Novgorod stood a church which was pronounced unsafe and was to be pulled down. But as the building contained many souvenirs of the famous Marshal Souvorov, his old regiment, which is stationed at St. Petersburg, decided to possess it. Money being no object, the whole church was carefully taken down each piece numbered, loaded into wagons, and transported to the capital. There the building has been reerected with such care that it is as good as new and may last for centuries.

## IN HOPKINSVILLE

Every Claim is Backed by Local Testimony.

If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a resident of Hopkinsville, what can he get? James A. Twyman, brick mason, of 1230 S. Virginia street, says: "Disorders of the kidneys brought on in my case so sharp and continued a succession of pains and aches through my back that I could not rest comfortably at night and arose in the morning lame and sore. I was tired and worn out from morning to night. The kidney secretions were irregular, high colored and scalded, and deposited a heavy sediment if allowed to stand. I had no energy left and felt generally run down. I was feeling worse than usual when my attention was attracted by an advertisement of Doan's Kidney Pills and I got a box at Thomas & Trahern's drug store and began using them. In a few days I noticed that the secretions had assumed a natural appearance and the pain and aching had been greatly relieved, and by the time I had completed the box there was a wonderful change in my condition. I am glad to state that I am practically cured, and Doan's Kidney Pills will be my friend for life."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

### In Hands of Receiver.

The John Kress Brewing Co., one of the oldest in New York, has been placed in the hands of a receiver.

### Don't Use Stimulants.

You need a bracer or strengthener at this time of the year, but you do not want to be left with the depressing effects which follow the use of stimulants. As a tonic or purifier, there is nothing better than Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin, which acts gently, but effectively, on the liver, kidneys, stomach and bowels. Don't take the nostrums which are advertised under the name of Sarsaparilla's, Blood Purifiers, etc. Not one in ten contains a single grain of the genuine Sarsaparilla Root or Potassium Iodide. Take only Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin, which is sold by your druggist in 50c and \$1.00 bottles.

### Dissolving Partnership.

Papers finally have been signed dissolving the theatrical partnership between Joe Weber and Lew Fields.

### HEALTH IS YOUTH.

Disease and Sickness Bring Old Age.

Herbina, taken every morning before breakfast, will keep you in robust health, fit you to ward off disease. It cures constipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, fever, skin, liver and kidney complaints. It purifies the blood and clears the complexion. Mrs. D. W. Smith, Whitney, Texas, writes April 3, 1902: "I have used Herbina and find it the best medicine for constipation and liver troubles. It does all you claim for it. I can highly recommend it." 50c a bottle. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

### Gets Good Position.

Prof. T. Lindsay Blayney has been elected to the chair of modern languages of Central University.

### A Dandy for Burns.

Dr. Bergin, Pana, Ill., writes: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment; always recommended it to my friends, as I am content there is no better made. 'It is a dandy for burns.' Those who live on farms are especially liable to many accidental cuts, burns, bruises, which heal rapidly when Ballard's Snow Liniment is applied. It should always be kept in the house for cases of emergency." 25c, 50c, \$1.00 bottles. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

### Died in Washington.

Brig. Gen. Joseph Dickinson, last of the Adjutant Generals of the Army of the Potomac, died in Washington.

Ordinary household accidents have no terrors when there's a bottle of Dr. Thomas's Electric Oil in the medicine chest. Heals burns, cuts, bruises. Brings instant relief.

### Assassination Attempted.

An attempt was made to assassinate Premier Maura of Spain.

### CASTORIA.

The Kidney and Liver Cleanse Brought the Signature of *Castoria* Came to a Close.

The railroad strike in Hungary is ended.

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## HINDOO JUGGLER'S TRICKS.

A Traveler's Story of Marvels Performed in His Presence—Power of Imagination.

When in India, says a writer in the Johannesburg (Transvaal) Star, I made the acquaintance of a juggler, who tried to instruct me in all his tricks. He said that it was imaginary on the part of the spectators, as he simply willed that they should see those things. Yet I, in common with western nations, was too animalized, sensual and materialized by flesh-eating and consumption of alcohol to entertain or accept any deep spiritual teaching.

The most exciting performance that he gave for my amusement was the converting of a bamboo stick into a native servant, who waited at the table and supplied our wants. Afterward—in his absence—I tried it, and to my surprise the same man was before me asking for instructions. I directed him to fill the claffies in the veranda with water from the well in the compound. This he proceeded to do. When he had filled them all to overflowing I requested him to stop. He, however, took no notice of me, and went on stolidly, bringing in the water until, in my excited imagination, it seemed that the bungalow would be washed away. Finding that I could not arrest or stop his movements, he passing through me as though I did not exist, I drew my sword and lay in wait for him. I made a slash at him and apparently cut him in twain, when, lo! there were two men bringing in the water, neither of whom could I restrain from doing so.

I was completely out of my depth, when I heard a quiet laugh behind me, and, on turning, found it was my instructor, who held up his right hand and the two men disappeared, the stick resuming its place on the veranda; and, to crown all, there was not the slightest sign of any water having been brought in. I excitedly appealed to him for an explanation. He said that he had been present all the time, having willed that he should be invisible to me, and that I should imagine myself to see and do what I thought had taken place. In order to prove it he asked me to step into the compound, and directed my attention to a large cavern, which I knew was not there before. As I entered a number of huge elephants and camels issued from it in a continuous stream, yet I could not touch one of them. They apparently passed over me as though I did not exist. He again raised his hand and the cavern and animals disappeared.

## THE SIBERIAN RAILWAY.

It Was Largely Its Construction That Liberalized Russia—Education the Outcome.

The railway schools of Russia are among the most interesting of all nations, says Harper's Weekly. When the great Siberian railway is completed it will form a practical westward continuation of the American trunk lines, connected by international ferries in the form of gigantic steamship lines. It was the construction of the wonderful Siberian railway which largely liberalized all Russia and turned its attention to the education of children. At the latest report Russia was teaching 6,000 children of railway men all branches of modern railway construction and operation. Russia recently sent two eminent ministers of affairs to this country to examine the workings of the railway branches of the Young Men's Christian association for its immediate introduction of the service at division points of the railways of all Russia.

### Red Tape for a Thimble.

The provision of an additional halfpenny for a scholar in an elementary school in a country district in the South of England has recently cost the ratepayers, it is stated, more than 36 times the value of the thimble itself. Eighteen communications had to pass between the schoolmaster, the school correspondent, the county officer, and the tradesman before the thimble was officially produced and paid for with a banker's order. Besides is, 6d for stamps there was the cost of a stationery, to say nothing of the halfpenny for the thimble.

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## COLONY OF SEA SQUIRTS.

Curious Form of Life with Which Bathing and Small Boys Have Much Amusement.

Most of the tanks in the aquarium have now been refilled with rockwork, says the New York Sun. An advantage of rockwork for this purpose is that it affords places of lodgment for various forms of marine life, both vegetable and animal, which may be introduced into the tank either by accident or by design, to make a further addition to the tank's attractiveness.

Already in some of the tanks here these lesser forms, either planted or of accidental growth, are beginning to appear; a notable example of the last named kind being found in the salmon rock-fish tanks, in which there may now be seen, attached to the rocky lining of the tank, a great colony, some thousands in number, of the familiar ascidian commonly known as the sea squirt.

Everybody that has been much about the water knows the sea squirt, a leathery creature somewhat resembling a rubber water bottle in shape, with two siphon tubes like stubby little slightly curved bottle necks projecting from its top. The sea squirt takes its nourishment as the clam does. It absorbs minute forms of animal life of various sorts, along with quantities of water, through one of its siphon tubes, and after extracting the nutriment it expels the water through the other.

The sea squirt clings to the rocks along shore, and to sea grass, and it is found in many waters. It may be of a dingy white or gray in color, like those now at the aquarium, though some sea squirts are of a dark rich brown, and there are others of a brilliant red. The largest of those here are about an inch and a half in length. Sea squirts attain a length of two or three inches or more.

Bathers who know about them pick sea squirts from the rocks and play tricks with them by collapsing them and so spouting the water on fellow bathers. Boys living by the water as in fishing towns, carry sea squirts to school with them, in their pockets, and there squeeze the water out of them. To collapse one in that manner means the end of the sea squirt.

A sea squirt left out of water by the receding tide might be collapsed and flat, but it would be more likely to have taken in water enough to carry it until the tide covered it again, and it would be most likely to be found, between tides, in places where it would get more or less moisture. If one should be left exposed for a longer time than usual on some bare rock, as it might be by an unusually low tide, it would be burned and shriveled and destroyed by the sun's hot rays.

They were probably introduced into this tank with shrimp put into it as food for the rockfish.

### Natural Soap.

German papers report that steps are being taken in Algeria to manufacture natural soap on a large scale from a tree known as "Sapindus utilis." This plant, which has long been known in Japan, China and India, bears a fruit of about the size of a horse chestnut, smooth and round. The color varies from a yellowish green to brown. The inner part is of a dark color and has an oily kernel. The tree bears fruit in its sixth year and yields from 55 to 200 pounds of fruit, which can easily be harvested by the fall. By using water of alcohol the saponaceous ingredient of the fruit is extracted. The cost of production is said to be small and the soap, on account of possessing no alkaline qualities, is superior to the ordinary soap of commerce.

### Pigeons as Snugglers.

A curious utilization of carrier pigeons was recently attempted in Belgium. This was making them carry contraband goods into France. For a short time 24 pigeons were let off regularly from the Belgian dovecot, each burdened with a small coil of tobacco. They arrived at their French destination rather exhausted, and doubtless glad to be relieved of their load. In one case, however, a pigeon, in making the flight, proved unequal to the effort, fell into the Seine and was picked up. The system was thus found out and suppressed.

## Advice to the Aged.

Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

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have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and

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County Clerk Drops Dead.  
Beattyville, Ky., April 25.—County Clerk W. C. Lutes dropped dead on Main street, in front of the courthouse, here today at eleven o'clock, of heart failure.

Ballard's Horehound Syrup.  
Immediately relieves hoarse, croupy, cough, oppressed, rattling, rasping and difficult breathing. Henry C. Stearns, druggist, Shillburg, Wis., writes, May 20, 1903: "I have been selling Ballard's Horehound Syrup for two years, and have never had a preparation that has given better satisfaction. I notice that when I sell a bottle they come back for more. I can honestly recommend it." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

Hearst a Papa.  
Washington, April 25.—A son has been born to Mr. and Mrs. William Randolph Hearst.

## Cures Coughs and Colds.

Mrs. C. Peterson, 625 Lake St., Topeka, Kansas, says: "Of all cough remedies Ballard's Horehound Syrup is my favorite; it has done and will do all that is claimed for it—to speedily cure all coughs and colds—and it is so sweet and pleasant to the taste." 25c, 50c, \$1.00 bottle. Sold by R. C. Hardwick.

## L. & N.

An attempt was made to wreck a passenger train on the Henderson division of the Louisville and Nashville & Nashville railroad.

Spring fever is simply "that tired feeling," a lassitude caused by a sluggish condition of the blood. The liver and bowels need a cleansing out in the spring and nothing is so effective and at the same time so pleasant to take as Dr. Cassell's Syrup. It is sold by all druggists.

## Big Loan.

Russia is said to have succeeded in negotiating a loan of \$106,000,000 in Paris.

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Troops Reviewed.

Twenty thousand Italian troops were reviewed in Rome by President Loubet, of France.

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## Killed by Lightning.

While sheltered under a tree during a storm, Jesse Downey, of Franklin, Ky., was killed by lightning.

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## To Become a Member.

It is said that President Roosevelt is to become a member of the Mystic Order of Veiled Prophets of the Enchanted Realm, a branch of the Masonic order.

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J. R. CARLIS, Adm'r., J. T. Coleman, dec'd.

## Time Table

WESTERN DIVISION

## Tennessee Central R. R. Effective Mar. 20, 1904.

BETWEEN NASHVILLE AND CLARKSVILLE.

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4:47	7:17	Nashville	9:30	6:50
4:59	7:29	Jordan	9:20	6:40
5:12	7:42	Shelton	9:10	6:30
5:24	7:54	Gravette	9:00	6:20
5:37	8:07	Paducah	8:50	6:10
5:50	8:20	Ashtland City	8:40	6:00
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6:15	8:45	Hickory Point	8:20	5:40
6:27	8:57	Summit	8:10	5:30
6:40	9:10	Gibson	8:00	5:20
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## THE RED AMULET.

BY ANNIE O. TIBBETS.

Tracy Graves painted on in grim silence. The silence was grim because it was painful, and because Tracy knew that in a few days the bright sunshine that had danced over his life would go out and leave everything dark and wretched, as it had been before. He dreaded to think what would happen when the portrait was finished. The emptiness of his studio was horrible to him, and he dared not imagine what his life would be without the fair-haired girl who came almost daily to sit on the raised dais in the center. She was becoming dearer to him than his own life—dangerously dear.

He dipped his brush in his colors and painted like one painting for his life. He forgot that the completion of the portrait would bring him in so many pounds, shillings and pence; he forgot that he was painting for his daily bread, and that the smiling face before him would never smile for him. He remembered only that he was painting the hair, the eyes and the curved lips of the woman he loved; and that there was a red jewel in her bodice that flamed and scintillated and glowed like living fire. It was red—red like blood—and the light that flashed back from it attracted and fascinated him; and when it was complete upon the canvas he stepped back and gazed at it for a moment in silence.

The effect was wonderful. It seemed to breathe—to laugh; it glowed as if the brush had been dipped in flame; he almost fancied that the mocking red light reflected something from her face.

He looked up and caught her dark eyes fixed upon him with an expression which he failed to understand.

During the few weeks in which he had been painting her portrait they had become friends. It was a dangerous friendship for him; a mere bagatelle to her. She was a rich society beauty, well versed in her game of hearts, and he was a poor, struggling painter, who understood the uncertainty of meals, and who was well acquainted with hunger. And when she idly dragged from him the story of his life—of his hopes and ambitions, his failures and disappointments—she neither thought nor cared what the effect would be upon him.

As it was, she met his enraptured gaze with nothing more than a spark of passing interest in her eyes.

"It is almost finished," she remarked.

"Yes, almost," he replied. He was thinking that it was so far finished that it was scarcely necessary for her to come again.

"When I am no longer coming to you," she went on, "you must come to me. I should like to see you. I should not like to lose sight of you."

The red blood ran up into his face; the brush trembled in his hand.

"Some day you will be a great artist," she added. "I am sure of it; and I should feel proud—"

She paused abruptly, for the change in his face alarmed her. "Is that all you care?" he broke in. "You only want to—patronize me? I could not stand that."

She laughed a little and rose from her seat. The edge of her dainty gown swept the dust from the dais as she descended and went toward him, holding out her hand. Then an insane desire to hear him speak the words that were in his heart seized her, and she smiled from under her dark lashes.

"Do you mean that you do not wish to see me again?" she asked. And the words and the thought of his empty life roused the tempest in his breast.

He flung away his brush. "No! want to see you! Every hour of my life is yours if you will have it. It is nothing without you. I love you. I can never forget you. Your face will be before me all ways; the thought of you will never leave me—never till I am dead!"

She watched him with a face flushed with triumph and delight. No man had ever spoken to her like that before; even the man she was going to marry always addressed her in calm, well-chosen words. And a sense of loss awoke within her.

She held out her hand to him, and he took it in his hot one.

"Will you do something for me?" he asked suddenly. "Just one thing?"

She nodded her acquiescence, and he pointed to the amulet round her neck.

"Give me that," he said. "I don't know what it is—if I am asking for a valuable stone, forgive me; but next to you it is the one thing I desire. It scintillates; it moves as if it were alive. If you can, give it me."

She hesitated for a moment. She scarcely deemed it wise, and it was very foolish; but his eagerness prevailed, and when she held it out to him his fingers closed over it lovingly.

"It will bring me luck," he said.

The long, dead winter rolled by, and spring came, and through it all Tracy worked with a sort of feverish ecstasy, as if his days were limited, and as if something within him urged him relentlessly on. He grew thin and jaded looking; his cheeks became hollow and his eyes dull, and poverty showed itself in the seams of his coat and the frayed edges of his cuffs.

But one day he stood before his easel with the flushed face and triumphant air of a conqueror.

The picture of a woman stood upon it—a strange woman with a pale face and red lips, and a red jewel flashing on her neck, and he looked upon her as he might have looked upon the woman he loved.

When a knock sounded on his door he started, and with nervous haste began covering the canvas as if anxious to screen it from sight.

A man entered languidly. "Hallo, Graves?" he said. "A new picture? Can I look?" And when he held aside the covering he started and fell back.

"Great Scott!" he cried. "What a woman!"

He stood looking at it for a moment, breathless. Then he went forward and stared at it with amazed eyes. He looked it up and down; he noticed every detail; he moved his position and looked at it again, and the lazy indifference of his face was gone and his eyes were alight with excitement.

"What is it, Cox?" Tracy asked, nervously. "Is it good?"

Cox turned to him enthusiastically.

"Good!" he echoed. "My dear fellow, it's magnificent. It's tremendous! You will be remembered for this if you paint nothing else. It's magnificent!"

On vanishing day Tracy stepped out into Piccadilly in the intoxication of a triumph which he thought nothing could quell. He had forgotten the shabbiness and untidiness of his clothes; he had forgotten that he was a haggard and famished as the beggar he met on the pavement; he had forgotten that hunger was staring him in the face and that he had spent his last penny in framing his picture. He remembered only that he had painted the picture of the year, and that already, before the academy was opened, there was a buzz of excitement over it, as if Cox had prophesied there would be, and his thoughts were far away with the woman whose eyes were like the woman's in his picture, and the remembrance of whose voice had never left him.

He walked on with his eyes on the pavement, with his nerves strained to fever pitch; and as he went all Piccadilly seemed to be swirling past him in a mist. He was bewildered, stunned by the sudden prospect that had opened out before him. In a few weeks all London would be ringing with his name, and the poverty he had dreaded and the insignificance he had hated would be gone. He would be known, admired, his work would be famous and his success assured.

As he went his fingers closed mechanically over the amulet he carried in his pocket—it was his lucky stone—and as he neared Bond Street he looked up and suddenly.

A woman was coming toward him, a woman whose face and figure he recognized; the woman for whom he had worked without pause or cessation, through the long, dreary winter, and the red blood rushed up into his cheeks.

He suddenly became aware of the shabbiness of his clothes, of his dusty hat and worn-out coat, and as she came toward him he watched her face with nervous expectancy.

He seemed to have come to a standstill. His heart was beating with a loud clanking that he fancied he could hear over and above the roar of the traffic, and he waited for her eyes to meet his.

When they did so she was very close to him, and his hand stole mechanically to his hat.

Then her indifferent look changed into a stony stare. She glanced at him laughingly and passed on, leaving him gazing after her like a madman, with one hand raised half way to his hat.

He was thinking—thinking that he had not recognized him; that he must have altered (he had grown a beard; and that, above all, she did not know, she had not heard, about his picture. He clutched his amulet—the stone that was to bring him luck—and then—

There was a sudden loud roar in his ears! He heard a shouting, and a woman's scream. There was a plunging of horses—he saw their shining hoofs above his head—he saw them rear and start forward! and then he felt that he was falling.

When he opened his eyes he found himself in his own room and Cox bending over him.

"You had a close shave, old man," said Cox, softly.

Tracy began to remember. He remembered the plunging horses, the roar and shouting and a sudden sharp pain when he fell; but that was all.

"Did they go over me?" he asked. Cox shook his head. "Not quite," he replied, "but you must lie perfectly still until the doctor comes again."

"But I'm not seriously ill, am I?" Tracy asked, in a weak voice. "I—I should not like to miss the academy, you know."

Cox turned his face away, so that Tracy could not see him when he spoke. The academy had been opened a week ago.

"No, it will be all right, old man," he said. "Don't worry." Tracy lay still for awhile. Suddenly he cried out:

"Cox," he said, "the amulet—where's the amulet?"

There was a sound of dangerous excitement in his voice, and Cox turned round anxiously.

"My amulet," Tracy went on. "It's mine—she gave it me—it's in my pocket."

Cox went over and felt through his clothes, and when he pulled out the stone its dancing red light seemed to mock him and to laugh at the helpless man on his back at the other side of the room.

"Is this it?" he asked; and Tracy stretched his eager hands toward it. His face was flushed, his eyes were brilliant with fever.

"You had better let me put it away," Cox said, soothingly; but Tracy cried out in a violent paroxysm of excitement. He struggled violently and tried to raise himself; he made an effort to lift his head and failed. He did not notice his own weakness at the moment, but Cox did.

"Give it to me!" he cried; "I want it in my own hands." And when Cox gave it to him he fell into a sudden slumber. Then a change came over his face, and when the doctor came in he was talking rapidly, in a thin, weak voice, of a woman and a picture and a red stone.

Cox came over and stood looking down with his eyes anxiously scanning the doctor's face. Tracy made an effort to lift himself in bed, and fell back helplessly against the pillow.

His face grew suddenly gray. He caught his breath with a sharp gasp, and a strange trembling seized him.

"Doctor," he cried, hoarsely, "for Heaven's sake tell me the truth, am I—I am I—"

He stretched out his hand to the coverlet, and clutched it fiercely. The doctor shook his head, and put his hand on his arm.

"No, no," he said, "you won't be lame."

"Not lame?" repeated Tracy, with a cry. "Then why do you two look so—"

He stopped, glancing from one to the other, with a look of horror deepening in his eyes.

"My dear fellow," said the doctor, cautiously, "lie still. It is absolutely necessary that you

should not excite yourself, you—"

He stopped suddenly, and something in Cox's face made him cry out with a new, helpless despair.

"Doctor," he said, in a whisper, "come here—come here and look me in the face!" There was a wild terror in his eyes that made the doctor flinch. "Doctor," he cried again, "for Heaven's sake—do you—do you think I am—dying?"

The last word broke from him with a sob; something in the doctor's face made him sink back with closed eyes and clenched teeth.

He opened his eyes again to find Cox sitting at his side watching him eagerly.

He drew in his breath with a shudder, and lay still for awhile, playing feebly with the amulet in his hand, that sparkled and scintillated with every movement of his fingers.

"Cox," he said, presently, "will you do something for me?"

"Anything, old man," said Cox. "Then take this" (holding out the amulet), "take this to—Miss Duncan. Tell her that—that I have painted—no, no, not that. Tell her that I am dying—that I want her—just to see her—to touch her, if she will let me. If she knows that I am—dying she'll surely come."

Tracy's eyes closed wearily. He lay back against the pillow with a strange gray look on his thin face. For a moment Cox hesitated about leaving him; but the hope of bringing back the girl decided him, and he went hurriedly downstairs, sending up the landlady to watch in his place.

Tracy lay breathing hoarsely, with a thick phlegm choking in his throat. He could hear nothing for the dull rumble that was in his ears, but he was listening eagerly for the footsteps on the stairs, and waiting with horrible intensity for the girl he loved.

Once he fancied that the lamp was going out, and the landlady rose hurriedly and looked at his ashly face with a narrow questioning glance.

At last there was a sound of a footstep on the stairs. Tracy did not hear it, but he saw the landlady rise and look toward the door, and he, too, turned his head. The footstep was low and hesitating, as if someone feared to enter.

When the door opened Tracy did not see Cox come up and bend over him. He was still looking at the door, and when no one else followed his heart stopped, and then, with a sudden plunge, went fitfully on.

"She couldn't come, old fellow," Cox stammered at last. "She—she's gone to a ball—and—the housemaid—"

He stopped abruptly, holding on to the red amulet. The perspiration broke out suddenly on Tracy's forehead. A change—swift, sudden and terrible—came over his face, and the next moment the red amulet had fallen from his lifeless hands with a crash.—Black and White

TOO CLOSE FOR COMFORT.

This Man Looked into a Hole in the Ground and Found a Big Black Bear.

The motto, "Look before you leap," has been handed down for generations and generations, but it is a curious fact, says the Kennebec Journal, that a person has never suggested the thought of "thinking before looking." If there had ever been a motto like the latter, it is probable that Gideon L. Joy, of Hancock, would never have received the shock to his system that he experienced when he looked into a hole in the ground and found a big black bear about three inches from his nose. Mr. Joy did not stay looking into that hole any longer than was necessary to recover from his astonishment, but he got up and the way he legged it for home and a gun would probably have made the bear laugh if he had stayed to witness Mr. Joy's sprinting act. When Mr. Joy returned with his rifle the bear was nowhere to be seen, nor has he been seen since. Mr. Joy will likely get his gun first and look afterward if such a case ever comes up again.

Trained Sunday School Teachers. Pennsylvania reports 470 graduates from the Sunday school training department for teachers. The demand for trained teachers is steadily increasing.



## Here and There.

Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky. Fresh Jersey cows for sale will trade for dry cows. R. W. Ware.

LUMBER FOR SALE—See M. F. Winfree, Casky, Ky. Phone 130-4. Wild Goose Liniment cures rheumatism and neuralgia. 25c at all druggists.

Hogs and corn for sale at my farm on Ducker Mill road. Address me at Hopkinsville. J. F. Ellis.

Try a package of Morris' Egg Aid at Twyman's grocery, guaranteed to make your hens lay. Price 25 cents.

Hon. Henry Burnett, of Louisville, will dissolve his law partnership with Judge Humphrey July 1st, and return to Paducah to resume practice at his old home.

Barred Plymouth Rock and Brown Leghorn eggs for sale at \$1 for 15. Standard Poultry Co., care Kentuckian office, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Lawrence Willis, charged with the murder of his uncle, Lieut. Johnston, in Trigg county, is in jail at Paducah and will be brought to Cadiz next month for another trial. He was convicted at the last court and the verdict set aside.

Those desiring life insurance will find it to their interest to investigate the plans and record of the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Company of Newark, N. J. No stockholders. All profits divided among policy holders. It is conspicuous for economical management, liberality of its policy contract, fair dealing with its members and large annual dividends to reduce cost of your insurance.

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### FREAK OF NATURE.

Dogwood Tree With a Natural Valise Handle Grown to it.

There is on exhibition at the Kentuckian office a curious freak of nature, a section from a dogwood tree upon which a perfectly formed handle about eight inches long has grown out from the main trunk. The handle is an inch in diameter and covered with bark all over. It is securely grown into the wood at each end and is perfectly bowed, like the handle of a valise. The aperture made by the handle is four inches long and 1 1/4 inches wide in the middle. The tree is a little more than 3 inches in diameter. It was found by Mr. J. B. Lander, who was hauling wood on Capt. McJ. Davis' farm near town. The section of wood containing it is 14 inches long.

### Opera House

Wednesday, May 4th.

The Ted E. FAUST Minstrels.

ALL WHITE!

I guarantee this a clean, high class attraction. R. H. HOLLAND.

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### MONUMENTS!

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## VENERABLE BANKER

Answers the Last Summons at Age of 84.

Mr. Stephen E. Trice, Prominent in Business and Religious Circles, Passes Away.

Mr. Stephen E. Trice, the venerable banker, who retired from active business three years ago, died at his home on the corner of Main and 15th streets at 2:15 o'clock Tuesday morning. He had reached the advanced age of 84 years, and for some months a serious kidney trouble had been added to the feebleness of extreme age.

At the banquet given to the men of the Baptist church in March he was able to attend for a short while and took great interest in the preparations for the banquet. This was one of the last meetings he ever attended. About the first of April he was taken ill and was never able to get out again.

Mr. Trice was the last of the successful pioneer business men of Hopkinsville of 50 years ago. Jno. C. Latham, Geo. O. Thompson, David R. Beard, Jno. N. Mills, Judge R. T. Petree and Dr. James Rodman, all his close personal and business associates, and all members of the Baptist church, have preceded him into the Great Beyond.

Mr. Trice was born in New Providence, Tenn., in 1820, being a son of James and Zilpah (Mallory) Trice. He came to Hopkinsville in 1839 and became a clerk in the hat store of Archibald Gant, in the days when all hats were made to order.

He later engaged in the grocery business and laid the foundation of the handsome fortune he amassed. He was a clear-headed, far-seeing business man and was uniformly successful in his business matters. In 1868, with his brother, the late W. L. Trice, he organized the private bank of Trice & Bro., which five years later became the Planters Bank. He was president of this institution for 28 years and voluntarily retired in 1901, when it was succeeded by the present Planters Bank and Trust Company. Up to the time he was taken sick, he still retained an office in the bank and looked after his extensive business interests.

In 1845 Mr. Trice was married to Mrs. Virginia Buckner Stuart, and for a while before engaging in the mercantile business, was a tobacco buyer. Mrs. Trice died several years ago and he is survived by a son and daughter, Mr. John B. Trice, cashier of the Planters Bank and Trust Co., and Miss Annie Trice, who has presided over his home since her mother's death.

Mr. Trice united with the Hopkinsville Baptist church in 1848 and for 55 years was a leader in all church affairs. He was for 30 years clerk of the church and was a trustee up to the time of his death. He was also a trustee of Bethel Female College and of the Christian County Academy, afterwards merged into the Hopkinsville High School.

For nearly 25 years he was a Commissioner of the Western Asylum, the greater portion of the time President of the Board. He was a very careful business man, but in his church matters was always liberal and kind-hearted and generous to the poor, to missions and to charity.

When the new Baptist church was erected ten or twelve years ago, he subscribed \$2,500 and afterwards increased his subscription several hundred dollars to help clear the church of debt. He gave more than any other member in the church.

His funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Baptist church. Dr. C. H. Nash preached a brief sermon, declaring Mr. Trice to have been a "model Christian." He said: "In character, in judgment, in service, in liberality, in length of service and in loyalty to his church, he was the most valuable member the church ever had. He was always regular, always punctual. He believed it a part of his religious duty to be in his pew every time the church was opened for services. He was an eager, attentive, appreciative listener and in his home was always a student of God's Word."

The funeral discourse was pre-

ceded by a prayer by Rev. Edmund Harrison and closed with a prayer by Dr. W. L. Nourse. Music was rendered by a quartette composed of Messrs. F. L. Wilkinson and J. T. Hanberry, and Misses Nell Davidson and Betty Flack. The pall bearers were Dr. W. L. Nourse, Rev. Edmund Harrison, Dr. B. F. Eager, Dr. T. W. Blakey and Messrs. H. C. Gant, J. D. Russell, S. G. Buckner, J. E. McPherson, W. H. Jesup, Ira L. Smith, W. T. Tandy and Walter F. Garnett.

There were many beautiful floral offerings and a large concourse of sorrowing friends followed the body to its last resting place in Hopewell Cemetery.

Mr. Trice leaves a large estate, a result of the accumulations of his long and successful business career.

### CHICAGO PROVISIONS.

Corrected Each Issue by W. D. Cooper, Broker.

WHEAT—OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
May... 86 1/4	88 3/4	86 1/4	88 3/4
July... 85 3/4	85	85 3/4	84 1/2
CORN—			
May... 46 1/4	47 3/4	46 1/4	46 3/4
July... 48 3/4	49 3/4	48 3/4	48 3/4
OATS—			
May... 39 3/4	40 3/4	39 3/4	40 3/4
July... 37 1/4	39 3/4	37 1/4	39
PORK—			
May... 1215	1227	1195	1195
July... 1247	1255	1225	1225
LARD—			
May... 682	682	672	672
July... 692	700	687	687
RIBS—			
May... 655	657	645	645
July... 667	672	657	660



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Three white men named Sadler, of Mt. Sterling, were the first persons to be convicted under the new law against chicken stealing in Kentucky, which makes it a felony to steal chickens to the value of \$2. The Sadlers were given three years each in the penitentiary, for "house breaking."

A Utah murderer recently executed chose shooting as his method of shuffling off, under a law that gives the criminal the privilege of choosing between hanging and shooting. In Christian county, the man-killer sometimes escapes with a fine, which has some advantages over both the gun and the gallows.

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## Personal Gossip.

Mrs. Julian Adoue and children, of Louisville, are guests of Mrs. Richie Burnett.

Mrs. John F. Danforth and daughter, Mary, have gone to Marion for a visit.

Mr. Jordan Rives, son of Mr. R. F. Rives, left yesterday for St. Louis, to seek a business opening.

Mr. W. P. Qualls, of Dawson, has been here several days on business.

Miss Brenda Kenner, who had been visiting in Madisonville, returned home Tuesday, accompanied by Miss Lizzie Hanna.

Mr. G. H. Stowe, of Julien, left here Wednesday night for El Paso, Texas, where his wife has been spending some for the benefit of her health. If Mrs. Stowe is able to stand the trip home they will return here next week, if not, they will remain in Texas indefinitely.

### BURNT CORK ARTISTS.

Best on Road to Be Here Next Wednesday Night.

Minstrelsy is a popular form of American amusement. It is charged with American genius in its every phase. The old school of minstrelsy is a pleasant recollection—it was superseded by the school made famous by the late Billy West, Geo. Primrose, and Dan Emmett. Still, a new school is to the front, and the leader in this is Ted E. Faust, who has distanced all competitors along the lines of refined and artistic humor. Manager Holland has engaged the Ted E. Faust Superb Minstrels for one night only, Wednesday, May 4. In the make-up of his company Mr. Faust has been mindful of the old school of burnt cork, of the art of the late Billy West; the style of Geo. Primrose and the melody of Dan Emmett. All this he has applied to his organization and taken a step in advance by engaging acts and features far superior to those of all other minstrel organizations, past or present. His company numbers fifty people. The singing, the dancing, the comedy, and the music is on a scale higher than ever before attempted. All the great critics are unanimous in their praise of the superb organization.

### Judge Landes Reminiscent.

Judge J. T. Landes of Hopkinsville, who was in Louisville for several days last week, is one of the venerable attorneys of the state, and in his youth he was familiar with President Abraham Lincoln, and the struggle which the latter made to establish himself in the law, says the Courier Journal. Judge Landes told at the Fifth-avenue Hotel a story in which Mr. Lincoln was one of the principals. The incident took place at the county-seat of one of the rural counties, and might probably have never been made a part of history, were it not for Judge Landes' keen memory. Several lawyers had been engaged in trying a murder case, and Mr. Lincoln's colleague was speaking in behalf of the prisoner. To counteract the force of the argument, one of the prosecuting lawyers resolved to perpetrate a practical joke on the orator for the defense. The young man wore a badly demolished pair of trousers, and the rival attorney, started a subscription to buy him a new pair. Several lawyers among the prosecution subscribed amounts from sixty to seventy-five cents, and the paper was passed across to Mr. Lincoln. After regarding in with a quizzical expression for a moment, Mr. Lincoln wrote and passed the paper back, bearing this inscription: "I can contribute nothing to the end in view."

The great World's Fair at St. Louis, the biggest exposition ever seen on earth, will open its doors to-morrow. The business houses of St. Louis are preparing to close and make the opening day a record breaker. Secretary Taft will represent President Roosevelt in the opening ceremonies.

### Chesapeake and Ohio Ry.

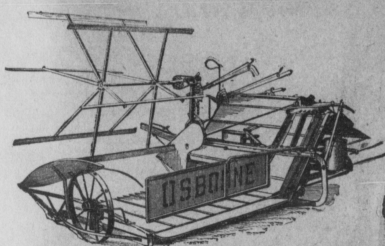
The best route to New York, Baltimore and Philadelphia via Washington. Quick time and superior service. Scenery unsurpassed. Dining car service unequalled. W. A. WILGUS, S. P. A., Hopkinsville, Ky., will give special information.

# DAVID AND GOLIATH Up-to-date.

While the tobacco growers of the district are in the grip of an all powerful trust which threatens to paralyze that product, the farmers should not lose sight of another trust that has a ready assumed alarming proportion.

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## Trusts, all Trusts

And it remains to be seen whether the trusts will get the farmer or the farmer will get the trusts.

We have strong faith in the ultimate triumph of right and justice, the survival of the fittest. The farmer is on the side of right, and has the power to win.

The only question is will HE be the PEBBLE.

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